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**RUSSIA: A VAST LAND**

*Directions: Read pages 404 to 409. For multiple-choice and True/False, underline and bold the correct answer.*

1. Where do Siberian tigers hunt? (pg. 404)

1. Western forests of Russia
2. Eastern forests of Russia
3. Central mountains of Russia
4. Dense jungles of southern Russia

2. True or False. Russia is the world’s second largest country. (pg. 404)

3. Why is Russia called a Eurasian country? (pg. 404)

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4. What mountain range forms the dividing line between Europe and Asia? (pg. 404)

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5. How close is the far eastern part of Russia from Alaska? (pg. 404)

1. 20 miles
2. 50 miles
3. 1, 000 miles
4. 30, 000 miles

6. True or False. Most of the western part of Russia has a humid continental climate with warm summers and cold winters. (pg. 404)

7. What is the climate like in the eastern part of Russia? (pg. 405)

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8. True or False. Railroads, rivers, and canals are still important means for getting around in Russia. (pg. 405)

9. What are the leading movers of people and goods in Russia? (pg. 405)

1. Automobiles
2. Planes
3. Railroads
4. Boats

10. What is Russia’s capital city? (pg. 406)

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11. Which region in Russia has one of the coldest climates in the world? (pg. 406)

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12. What is tundra? (pg. 406)

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13. How do people living in the tundra make their living? (pg. 406)

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14. True or False. The taiga is the world’s largest forest. (pg. 406)

15. Where would you find the Siberian tiger in Russia? (pg. 407)

1. Northeast Russia
2. Southeast Russia
3. Southwest Russia
4. Northwest Russia

16. What is the largest inland body of water in the world? (pg. 407)

1. Black Sea
2. Caspian Sea
3. Lake Huron
4. Lake Superior

17. What is the world’s deepest freshwater lake? (pg. 408)

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